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Title:

TREATMENT OF VASCULAR DYSFUNCTION AND ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE

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Sir:

RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

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(at least 20) =26

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\$360.00 (1203)/\$180.00 (2203) \$

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Applicant claims "small entity" status.

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIRMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 19, 2006, Applicants elect with traverse Group I (claims 1-6) for examination on the merits. Applicants reserve the right to prosecute non-elected subject matter in a further patent application.

Notwithstanding the above election, reconsideration of the restriction requirement is requested because examination of claims 1-26 would not constitute a serious burden. Thus, claims 7-26 should not be withdrawn from consideration. Although the inventions identified by the Examiner are separately patentable, both the need for compact prosecution and the public interest would be served by examination of all pending claims.

Applicants earnestly solicit an early and favorable examination on the merits. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned if any further information is required.

Respectfully submitted,

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